IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN RE:

THOMAS M. JOHNSON, III, : CHAPTER 11

Debtor-in-Possession:

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THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON : CASE NO. 1-10-bk-01151-RNO

f/k/a THE BANK OF NEW YORK AS

SUCCESSOR IN INTEREST TO JP

MORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A. AS

TRUSTEE FOR STRUCTURED ASSET

MORTGAGE INVESTMENTS II TRUST

2006-AR7 MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGH

CERTIFICATES SERIES 2006-A7

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Movant :

:

v.

THOMAS M. JOHNSON, III :

Respondent :

ANSWER TO MOTION FOR RELIEF FROM THE AUTOMATIC STAY

AND NOW, comes Debtor, Thomas M. Johnson, III, by and through his counsel, Law Offices of Craig A. Diehl, answering the Motion for Relief from Automatic Stay under §362 pursuant to Bankruptcy Procedure Rule 4001 of the Bankruptcy Code as follows:

- 1. Admitted.
- 2. Admitted.
- 3. Admitted.
- 4. Admitted.
- 5. Admitted.
- 6. Denied. Proof thereof is requested at trial.

- 7. Denied. This Bankruptcy proceeding was commenced in 2010. To suggest minimal equity exists nine (9) years later without an appraisal is merely speculation.
 - 8. Denied. Debtor has made the following mortgage payments to Nationstar:

Date Posted	Payment Amount
10/05/2018	\$ 6,529.75
11/08/2018	\$ 5,636.78
12/06/2018	\$ 5,636.78
01/02/2019	\$ 5,636.78
03/01/2019	\$ 5,636.78
04/01/2019	\$ 5.636.78
04/02/2019	\$ 5,636.78
05/02/2019	\$ 5,636.78
07/01/2019	\$ 5,636.78
08/02/2019	\$ 5,636.78
09/05/2019	\$ 5,636.78
	\$62,897.55

- 9. Admitted.
- 10. Denied. Debtor has made post-petition payments

WHEREFORE, Debtor, Thomas M. Johnson, III, respectfully requests this Court deny Movant's Motion for Relief from the Automatic Stay.

Respectfully submitted,

LAW OFFICES OF CRAIG A. DIEHL

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